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The subscribers are appointed by ... cil of this corporation to contract with some per... including the court house square—they will there... ceive proposals for the same, and a description of ... ner in which the paling is to be done, may be ... application to either

Wm. PATTON, or
C. DENEALE.

... 19.

To be Sold,

In fee simple,

A LOT on Fairfax street, 20 feet front and 133 feet back—there is on it, a two story frame house, occupied by Mr. James Murray, with a kitchen, ... house, &c.—The lot is situated near the market ... For terms apply to Mr. Charles Turner.

Wm. CARLIN.

... 19.

Wanted to Hire,

A Negro Man and a Negro Girl, who understand ... house work, and can be well recommended for ho... and sobriety. Apply to the Printer.

Newbury-Port Patent Nails.

... superior, and 20 per cent. cheaper than imported Nails.

THE Proprietors of this Concern beg leave to inform ... the importers of Nails from Europe, they have be... making Brads, and will have a considerable number ... in 14 or 20 days from this date; supplies of ... will be forwarded to the principal ports in this ... ent, and due notice given in the Newspapers. ... have the fullest confidence of the superiority of their ... to any ever imported from England or elsewhere, ... solicit a fair and impartial trial. Those who ... a trial prefer them to any they ever used: to ... who have not tried them, they beg leave to observe ... superiority to English wrought Brads, consist in ... being quite regular in their shape, so much so, that ... sand may be drove through the thinest pine board ... using a Brad awl, or splitting the board. Their ... rity to other cut Nails consist in their being cut ... grain of iron; they are much tougher, and in ... will clench equal to any wrought Brads. ... any will naturally conceive the impossibility of our ... a sufficient number to supply the Continent, and ... fore think it necessary to continue their orders to ... we wish to remark, that we have now in complete ... order 3 engines, each of which (if necessary) will ... 200 thousand per day, making in the whole ... thousand weekly. That we have reason to suppose ... make an addition of one engine every month, ... doubtful of the fact, are invited to see the operation ... engines, at Byefield, six miles from Newbury-...

... Nails we shall also begin to make soon, which ... we will be superior to any ever yet made: but we ... to be determined by those who use Nails, and of ... most competent to judge.

... of the Brads may be seen at No. 87, State ... Boston.

... Proprietors, } JACOB PERKIN, Inventor,
GUPPY & ARMSTRONG.

... Wanted, a quantity of American Sheet Iron. ... Letters addressed to J. W. Armstrong, Boston, ... duly answered. ... A few White Smiths, may have constant employ, ... ral wages.

... 10. 1795-

Ten Dollars Reward

STRAYED or stolen from the stable of Mr. Charles ..., living in Alexandria on or about the 18th of ... last, a dun coloured horse, between 8 and 9 ... about 14½ hands high; all his feet white; a ... streak down his back; a switch tail and some sad... ...; he paces and trots. Whoever will deliver the ... to the subscriber, living in Loudoun county, ... Winchester, or to Mr. Charles Lee, in Alexandria, ... receive the above reward.

G. R. L. TURBERVILLE.

... 10.

To be Sold or Rented,

Col. Ramsay's Wharf, a three story Ware house, a ... house adjoining, suitable for a retail store. The Lot on ... the warehouse stands has three fronts and space suf... for a lumber yard—with respect to a stand for bu... there is none better perhaps in Alexandria.

Also for Sale.

... Lots on Royal street, a little above Mr. Wise's ..., on two of which are tenements fit for small fa... and a six acre lot on Duke street which fronts ... on King street. For terms apply to

THOMAS RICHARDS.

... 22.

THE freeholders of Fairfax will take notice, that on the twenty-fifth inst. a poll will be opened at 11 o'clock, at the Court-House in Alexandria, for the purpose of chusing a person to fill up the vacancy in the General Assembly, occasioned by the death of SAMUEL ARELL, Esquire.

CHARLES TURNER, D. Sheriff.

Alexandria, Nov. 14, 1795.

THE purchasers of lots in Spring Garden Farm, are requested to attend at Mr. WISE's Tavern, from 10 to 12 o'clock every day this week, to receive their deeds agreeable to the sale, where the trustees will attend.

Alexandria, Nov. 16, 1795.

☞ THE *Members of the St. Andrew's Society are informed, that a stated Quarterly Meeting will be held at Mr. WISE's Tavern, on Saturday Evening the 21st instant, at 6 o'clock, P. M.*

By order of the President,

JAMES MILLER, Secr'y

Nov. 10. '95.

NOTICE.

All persons who have any claims

against the subscribers are desired to leave the amount at their *counting house*, on Royal Sreet, two doors below the *coffee house*, as they are anxious to make some speedy arrangements for the payment of all contracts, made under the firm of *Matthew Franklin Bowne* and *Co.*—They also request all persons indebted to said firm to make immediate payment to Messrs. *Kissam* and *Stith*, who they have authorised to adjust all their former transactions.

MATTHEW F. BOWNE & CO.

Alexandria, 16th Nov. 1795.

N. B. As we intend to confine our attention entirely to the purchase and sale of Lands, the business in future will be conducted under the firm of

BOWNE, HAMILTON, & Co.

Antigua Rum & Sugar

FOR SALE BY
FLETCHER & OTWAY.

Alexandria, October 26, 1795.

JUST IMPORTED,

By POMERY & ISABELL,

... they now offer for Sale, at their Store in King-Street,

A neat Assortment of

Manchester Goods.

Of remarkably low Sterling prices;

A large, new and elegant assortment of

Gilt & plated, burnished & common Metal Buttons;

Handsome

New Carpeting;

A quantity of

Cotton and Worsted Hosiery:

These, and many other articles, they have on hand (as the Fall Season for selling is somewhat advanced) they are determined to render low, but they will make it an object worthy particular attention for Cash.

N. B. As Mr. Pomery, of this house, on his return from England, has arrived at the Northward, he is daily expected with an additional supply of Goods.

Alexandria, Nov. 12, 1795.

LEAR & CO.

Have imported from London, by the Eliza, Johnson, and from Liverpool, by the Peggy,

A Fall assortment of Goods,

Which are for sale, at their Store, in the City of Washington, on such terms as are worthy the attention of Purchasers.

Among other articles are

Coarse and fine Woollens,
Rose and duffil blankets,
Osnaburgs and bed-ticks,
Irish linens and sheetings,
Hosiery, calicoes and muslins,
A few cases of hardware,
Tin plates, lead, shot and salt,
Bottled Porter.

November 13, 1795.

Pocket Book lost!

LOST last evening on the road between Alexandria and the Falls Church, a black Leather Pocket-Book, with a steel catch. It contained about 150 dollars in Bank Notes; 100 of which was a note of the Baltimore Bank, with sundry papers that can be of no service to any person but the owner. Whoever shall find said Book and leave it with money and papers at Mr. Jonah Thompson's Store, in Alexandria, shall have a reward of Twenty Dollars. ADAM ALDRIDGE.

November 12, 1795.

For LONDON,

The Ship Mount Vernon,

Forrest Richardson, Master;

Will sail the first of December, the greater part of her cargo being engaged—one hundred hogsheads tobacco will be taken on freight, consigned to Messrs. *John* and *Laur. Brockwood*, on which a liberal advance will be made, if required, and the terms of freight made reasonable.

This ship has excellent accommodations for cabin and steerage passengers, has made but one voyage and sails fast. For Freight or Passage apply to

ROBERT HAMILTON,

Who offers for Sale, on a credit of 60 and 120 days,

The Sloop Abigail,

Burthen 450 barrels, or 2200 bushels—a strong, new vessel and ready to take in a cargo and proceed to sea without expence.

Alexandria, Nov. 3.

For Charter,

The Schooner

MARIA,

Burthen about 1000 barrels.

Apply to

ABRAM. HEWES.

Who has for sale,

Sugar in hhds.

Coffee in bls.
Pepper in bags,
Allum,
Souchong Tea in quarter chests,
Turk's Island, St. Ube's and Liverpool Salt,
Lime in hhds.

Oct. 14, 1795.

... MOREL,

From Marseilles,

RESPECTFULLY notifies the ... intends to reside in this Town for the purpose of teaching the Violin, Vocal Music and Drawing. He has studied under the best masters in Italy, and flatters himself that his mode of instruction is particularly calculated to facilitate the progress of the learner, which shall be aided by the closest assiduity and attention on his part.

A specimen of his Drawing may be seen at the house of Dr. Dick, to whom, for an account of his knowledge of Music and execution upon the violin, he begs leave to refer those who are disposed to employ him.

The terms of tuition may be made known by applying to Mr. Morel, at the house of Mr. John Wise.

Alexandria, October 28. 1795.

For Sale.

LOAF and lump SUGAR by the hhd. or barrel,
Muscovado SUGAR by the hhd. or barrel,
Imperial and young Hyson TEAS by the chest or smaller quantity,
Jamaica and Antigua Rum by the hhd. or barrel,
Old Cogniac Brandy by the barrel or gallon,
Sherry, Lisbon and Malaga Wines in quarter casks,
Claret in cases of 2½ doz. each,
Bottled Porter by the barrel of 3 doz. each,
Molasses by the hhd. or barrel,
Glass ware assorted in barrels,
10 by 8 Window Glass,
Fig blue by the cag,
8d. 12d. and 20d. nails,
Leiper's Snuff in bottles,
Dutch Linens, &c.

Robert Allison.

William Hartshorne & Sons

Have for Sale,

At their Store, on Col. Hooe's Wharf,

Muscovado and Loaf Sugar, Bar-

Iron, Steel, mould and dipped Candles and Soap in boxes, Mahogany in logs and Plank.

Alexandria, 11th mo. 11th. 1795.

☞ THE partnership of John Hickman and Co. being dissolved, and William Hickman appointed to settle and close the affairs and accounts of the Company, all persons having claims against said firm are earnestly requested to bring them forward speedily for settlement; and those indebted thereto will take notice, if payment is not made to William Hickman on or before the 16th day of next month, their accounts will then be put into the hands of an attorney, which the necessary attention of William Hickman, to other parts of the business, will render indispensable.

JOHN HICKMAN,
WILLIAM HICKMAN.

Alexandria, Nov. 14, 1795.

The Columbian Mirror
AND
ALEXANDRIA GAZETTE.

FOR THE MIRROR.

CITIZENS OF THE UNITED STATES!

You have been often called upon by different parties. Listen, for a moment, to one, who is an adherent of none, but that which sincerely wishes the happiness and prosperity of our common country. This, I trust, is still a numerous party in the United States: but, unfortunately, its members are too much scattered to act in concert; especially as the misrepresentations and deceptions, which ever were, and ever will be produced, by the violence of party contention, are but too well calculated to mislead those honest and well-intentioned citizens, who want either leisure or opportunities, to inform themselves fully, respecting the points in dispute.

Remember, Fellow-Citizens, that amidst all the uncertainty which hangs over the discussion of the question "which is right and which is wrong," we have still a rallying point, we have still a polar star to direct us—The Constitution and the Laws. Let us be firm and determined in resisting any violation or encroachment upon these, and then, however we may differ in opinion respecting public men or public measures, we may still be safe.

It is not long, since our country exhibited to the world, a noble instance of our readiness to support the laws—even laws which, in many instances, the supporters, individually, disapproved. But if a lesson were required upon this subject, we need only to look to our sister Republic, France, in whose fate many of us have been sincerely and heartily interested. Tho' we can find an excuse for many dreadful events that occurred there, from the peculiar circumstances in which they stood, surrounded by foreign and domestic enemies, who left no act untried to injure the republican cause, yet the very interest we feel in their prosperity as a republic, must lead us to deplore, with heart-felt regret and sympathy, the certain and inevitable consequences of laying aside the restraints of law, by which alone liberty herself can be induced to dwell in any country, by which alone lives or properties can be secured. That we may not be deceived by professions and specious pretences, let us recollect, that the greatest enormities and the most diabolical acts, that have ever been committed, have uniformly been done *for the public good.* Be assured that the public never can be benifitted, by any thing which disturbs (or has a direct tendency to disturb) the peace and order of society, or to lessen the authority of the laws. What are the inferences from what has been said? They are these: Whenever we are called upon to notice errors or abuses in Government [illegible] reform be attempted only by constitutional and legal means—thro' the medium of our representatives or the judiciary authority, or by [illegible] supported by reason, and delivered with temper and moderation, becoming our republican character: And let us suspect the intentions of him, who would urge us to other means. Although there are undoubtedly many men, who, with the best intentions, may be intemperately earnest in a good cause, yet these men are not generally the best supporters of such a cause; at all events it is prudent for us, to be on our guard against those, who endeavour violently to lead the public opinion, who continually criminate their opponents, and attribute to them the worst of motives. It cannot be proved, that violence and intemperate passion were ever useful instruments in a well ordered state of society. Even where a government requires to be overturned, and must be totally changed, unrestrained passion is too productive of human calamity; but it *cannot* procure a peaceful and useful amendment. The madman who applies a lighted torch to his house, is unable afterwards to stay the fury of the flames, but may perish in the conflagration which his own folly had produced: And they who are most ready to raise a political storm, are not always best able to direct or quell it. Thus much for the evils of anarchy and licentiousness—the abuses of Liberty on the part of the people.

But shall they therefore remain careless and inattentive to public affairs, in which they are deeply interested? It is the duty of every citizen in a Republic, as far as his leisure and opportunities will admit, to pay attention to the conduct of his Representatives and to the acts of government. To distrust or suspect either, without cause given, would be unjust, and if this distrust were habitual, we could not long hope to be represented by men of honour and integrity; but to suppose either to be infallible and thence to give them implicit and careless confidence, would militate against the first principles of our government. Sound and good information in the people, is the best security of a republic against the mischiefs, of which ignorance and folly have ever been a most productive source, when wrought upon by cunning and design, whose favorite instruments are misrepresentation and deception. Whilst public virtue and patriotism are ruling motives with citizens, there can be no government more efficient than the republican: For, if the edicts of an arbitrary Monarch will bear to be enforced, how much more strictly may not those laws be executed, which emenate from the will of the community, thro' the medium of a fair and equal representation? It is true that whilst vice continues to reign in the human heart, every good thing is liable to abuse; but are we thence to argue against its use? Let us therefore disbelieve those men who (perhaps to answer some particular design of their own) are always telling us of plots formed against government, and who affect to construe every stricture upon public measures, into a design to subvert the constitution.

At this juncture of affairs, it is more particularly the duty of every well-meaning man in the United States, to contribute his assistance, whatever it may be, towards the support of just and sound principles, regardless what party they may favor or offend, whilst the object is—on the one hand, to preserve the peace and harmony of society, and on the other, to rectify, any infringements that may have been made upon the constitution.

Jay's Treaty (as it is called) has for some time occupied a large share of the public attention, and I believe a very great proportion of our countrymen are dissatisfied with it, as being not only contrary to their feelings and sentiments, but impolitic and unconstitutional. It is well known, that amongst the opposers of this treaty, were very many of our tried patriots and best citizens—and on the contrary side of the question, are many, whose characters and intentions must ever remain unimpeachable. Discussions upon the subject have been continued to great length, without conviction to either party: Here then is an argument for moderation to them both. If the President has committed a political error, and his ratification of the Treaty involves a violation of the Constitution, is there no way of bringing this question to a constitutional decision? If there is, let that mode be adopted. Other questions of the same nature, respecting public measures have arisen; let these be brought to the same trial. By these means we should be enabled to judge (as well as the nature of the case admits) where the truth lies, the precedent would be useful in the conduct of our government, and we should no longer be troubled with those groundless alarms, which serve only to disturb the peace of society. With respect to the Treaty, the President may have been wrong, and I am amongst those, who, to to the best of my judgment and information, think him so; but if there is any man, who, for integrity and uprightness of intention, as well as ability, has merited, or can merit our confidence, it has been universally acknowledged to be him. The whole tenor of his life justifies this confidence; and nothing has yet occurred to prove it to be misplaced. The very circumstance which has given so much dissatisfaction, his ratification of the Treaty, against such marked disapprobation as manifested itself, proves him to be what we believe. Such being the man, we cannot doubt, but that he would invite, rather than shun, a constitutional enquiry into his public conduct. But, Fellow Citizens, as the interests of truth and virtue are dear to every society, and as these cannot be better preserved, than by paying due respect to those, in whose conduct and characters they shine conspicuous, we are called upon, generally and individually, to express our most marked and pointed disapprobation, of those endeavours which have been recently made to traduce the character and impeach the integrity of this our highly deserving Fellow Citizen. I am confident, that, in this sentiment at least, I concur in the general opinion. For though men should differ, even on important points, it is not therefore that they should give up former attachments, and be ready to conclude, that every thing which had fixed their respect and affection, was a mere delusion. Virtue is the best support of [illegible] or oblig—and we are justified in thinking that to opposite, and when there shall be found none in the society who take an interest in preserving the discrimination.

I trust that this Address will not be deemed an intrusion upon the august attention of the Public, but that it will be excused from the consideration, that it is not only the right, but the duty of every individual, to contribute his mite towards the public good. I hope also, that the seeming arrogance or presumption of laying aside the usual cloak, an anonymous signature, will be forgiven, when I declare the reason. I am desirous to avoid, as much as possible, the practice of those, who often do the utmost possible mischief (of which they are capable) in the dark, and thus avoid responsibility; and I feel a conviction that no man has a claim to the attention of the Community, who is over-attentive to personal considerations, or who is afraid or ashamed to avow his sentiments.

Under these impressions I subscribe myself,
With every sentiment of deference and respect,
Your Fellow Citizen,
FERDINANDO FAIRFAX.

Berkeley County, (Virg.)
November 16, 1795.

TO BE SOLD
A Tract of Land, in Berkeley County, Virginia, containing between 850 and 900 acres. The creek Opeckan runs through and nearly divides it into two equal parts. It is supposed that there is a seat for an undershot Mill thereon, and that the longness of the stream renders it valuable. It abounds with limestone, and has several excellent Springs. The road from Shepherd's-Town to Winchester passes near it, being distant from the former 12, and the latter place 16 miles.—It will be sold together or in two or three parts, as may suit purchasers. As none will buy without viewing the land, a further description is thought unnecessary. The title in fee-simple is indisputable. A considerable credit will be given for part of the money. The terms and times of payment may be known by applying to Captain George Hite, in Charles-Town, Berkeley County, or
W'm BUSHBY,
Nov. 12, 1795. Alexandria.

FOR SALE
ONE half acre LOT, in the Town of Alexandria situated on Oronoko, and running parallel with Washington Street. An indisputable title will be given the purchaser. For further particulars apply to Mr. *Jesse Simms*, at Mr. Wise's Tavern, or to the subscribers, living near the Little Falls of Potomac.
JOHN TURBERVILLE.

European Intelligence.

FRENCH OFFICIAL ACCOUNT OF THE CROSSING OF THE RHINE.

PARIS, SEPT. 11.

JOURDAN, *Commander in Chief of the army of the Sambre and Meuse, to the committee of Public Safety.*

"Head-quarters at Dusseldorf, 21 Fructidor (Sept. 7) 3d year of the Republic.

"Citizen Representatives, the left wing of the army of the Sambre and Meuse, the command of which I have trusted to General Kleber, crossed the Rhine yesterday morning, at three points. The General of Division, Lefebre, commanding the attack on the left, effected the passage at Eickelkamb: he afterwards proceeded to Angerbach, leaving to the right a small strip of Prussian territory. At Spick he forced the passage of Angerbach, and proceeded to Agermunde, after having driven the enemy from Hockum. The design of this movement was to turn the enemy, who, to the number of 20,000 men, were encamped between Willard and Hockum—the expedition was perfectly successful. The General of brigade, Demas, commanding four battalions of Grenadiers, who composed the advanced guard of this division, was wounded by a musquet ball, in shewing his brave companions the road to victory. The General of division, Championnier, commanding the centre attack crossed at Ardinghoven in the centre of the enemy's position. The General of division, Championet, commanding the attack to the right, crossed at Ham, above Dusseldorf, at the same time that he bombarded and cannonaded that city from the left bank of the Rhine. The purport of this attack was to cut off the enemy's retreat, and to oblige them to retire by the mountains, but to accomplish this, it was necessary to obtain forcible possession of Dusseldorf, and to oblige the inhabitants to capitulate speedily, otherwise this detached corps would run the risk of being driven into the Rhine. General Legrand, at the head of a battalion of grenadiers, proceeded to the glacis of the city with that intrepidity which merits the highest praises, after having killed or taken prisoners all the troops he met with in the bay of Ham. The attack by storm being irresistable, the place surrendered, and was immediately delivered up to the troops of the republic. I inclose you the capitulation. The enemy retreated to Rattiegen, leaving on the field of battle seven guns, several military waggons, and 100 prisoners. The General of division, Tilly, commanding the reserve, crossed at Eickelkamb, after the division of General Lefebre.

On this important occasion, General Kleber displayed the highest military talents. The generals of division and brigade executed with the greatest judgment and the highest courage, the orders they received. The general of brigade of engineers, Dejen, charged with throwing over the bridge of boats, was extremely useful to us in bringing the troops: but in spite of all his assiduity [illegible] of brigade of engineers, Legalline, having constructed on the left bank of the Rhine, from Gileb to Finkenwerth large and well disposed works under the command of the general of brigade, Belle, kept up a very warm fire, and seconded our attack perfectly well. The troops have displayed an intrepidity which shows that nothing is impossible. We found in the city of Dusseldorf 168 guns, and several other articles, the list of which shall be transmitted to you as soon as I have received it. I cannot as yet positively state our loss, but it does not amount to 600 killed and wounded.

I shall transmit to you a plan of the enemy's position which was defended by immense works. Several officers of every rank, whose names are not yet come to my notice, distinguished themselves by high exploits. As soon as the particulars of these shall reach me, I shall transmit them to you. We shall endeavor to take advantage of this victory, by forcing the enemy to retire without delay, a peace advantageous to the Republic, and which will allow us to enjoy the advantages held out to us by the Republican Constitution the Convention has just presented for the acceptance of the French Nation.

Health and Fraternity!
(Signed) "JOURDAN.

[* *Dusseldorf, E. lon.* 6 24 *lat.* 51 15 *a Town of Germany, in the circle of Westphalia, capital of the dutchy of Berg, situated on the East shore of the Rhine, 20 miles North of Cologne.*]

Copy of the capitulation of the city of DUSSELDORF.

"We, the undersigned, invested with powers to treat of the capitulation of the city and place of Dusseldorf, that is to say, I Louis Denisot, Adjutant to the Commissaries General of the French Republic, and the Diplomatic Minister Hemsperche, having civil and military powers from the Elector Palatine for this territory, Lieutenant General and Commander of the city of Zedwitz, and Major general commandant of the city of Dalwick, have resolved as follows:

Article 1. "The garrison shall instantly march out with arms and baggage, and all the honors of war, and shall be allowed to retire whether they shall think proper, on condition that they shall not carry arms for a year a day against the armies of the Republic, and that of their allies.

2. The garrison shall be allowed 46 horses belonging to the cavalry in the place: The other shall be delivered up to the officers of the French, except those belonging to the officers of the Marechaussee of the country, which are to remain with them, provided, nevertheless that the latter do not exceed that number.

…ll the guns and artillery ordnance whatever, and …fires, as well as the boats and flying bridges …er be in port, shall be delivered into the hands of …ch.

The Governor shall point out an officer who shall …ed to deliver to the Agent of the French Repub… exact ſtatement of all the Magazines, Military …and guns contained in the place, at the time of …render. He ſhall alſo deliver a ſtatement of the …and ſubterraneous works, as well as the charts and …ive to the defence of the place. The force of …ent garriſon ſhall alſo be included in his ſtatement.

The Governor of Duſſeldorf ſhall leave an agent …e corps, who ſhall have the charge of the baggage, …emoved when the Auſtrian army ſhall have retreated …he ſiege. Two open carriages ſhall nevertheleſs …ed to the generals commanding the troops.

The Auſtrian ſoldiers who are in the city are not …ended in the preſent capitulation, and are from …ment to be conſidered as priſoners of war.

The Governor of Duſſeldorf ſhall declare and de… into the hands of the French, all the French Emi…s who may be in the city.

The ſecurity of the property and of the perſons …habitants of the city of Duſſeldorf is put under …ard of French good faith.

…s liberty either of continuing with his family at …fer of quitting the city and country, whenever …ink proper, is granted the above named direct…er.

…e at Duſſeldorf, 10 Fructidor of the French …ra, and the 6th of September, 1795.

…) "L. Deniſet of Hompeſche Zedwitz, Lieu…General and commandant of the province of Dal…ſor General and commandant of the place.

"A true copy (Signed) &c.

…d applauſes followed the reading of theſe details.

AMSTERDAM, SEPT. 10.

…al Intelligence has been received in this Capital, …French army under the command of General Le… having in the morning of the 6th inſt. croſſed …ine, at Bilbery near Urdinger. The paſſage was …with the utmoſt celerity, and with the loſs of very …. Duſſeldorf was in poſſeſſion of the Republi…ys in two hours after midnight.

…h the paſſage of this rapid River, been accom…a place where leaſt expected, in as much as the …had concentrated the force apparently deſtined for …edition oppoſite Newied. This brilliant achieve…as no doubt effected with the greateſt facility, on …of the French having made a feint to croſs at …. This fineſſe attracted the enemies forces to the …where they expected to be aſſailed, which enabled …, comparatively ſmall, to accompliſh their object …manner deſcribed in the following letter from

Coblentz, Aug. 30.

"Blow is ſtruck, and the firſt effort to effect the paſ…the Rhine has been ſucceſsful.—The following …particulars.

…a conſiderable extent, which has not hitherto been …ed by either of the conflicting parties. Laſt night …this ſide become the theatre of a ſanguinary con…About 2 o'clock in the morning 1200 republicans …with ſmall craft, and being favoured by the dark…of the night, effected their paſſage to the iſle. The …they gained a footing, they took the precaution …ing up breaſt works, in order to ſecure their po…that the noiſe of the pick-axes and ſhovels alarmed …ians, and a diſcharge of muſketry having con…them of the intention of the French, they com…a heavy and inceſſant fire of cannon and mortars, …intervals kept up a well directed fire of muſquetry. …ench in their turn, opened all their batteries on the …and the reports were ſo tremendous, that the earth …ſeveral leagues from the ſcene of action.

…Nevertheleſs, the brave Republicans maintained their …ſite, with that calmneſs that always decides the fate ….—They ſoon elevated their works, till they …abled to eſtabliſh themſelves in the iſle; and till …ment I now write to you, all the efforts of the ene…to diſlodge them were fruitleſs."

By laſt night's Poſt.

PHILADELPHIA, NOV. 18.

LATEST EUROPEAN NEWS.

…arrival of a Schooner laſt evening from Bel…, we have received a NORTHERN STAR of the …September, from which the following articles are …acted.

LONDON, SEPT. 16.

…meeting of Parliament for the diſpatch of buſineſs …ding to the moſt prevalent report, fixed for Thurſ… 20th of October. Intimation to that effect is …d in Saturday's Gazette.

…Monday information was received that the Spaniſh …al Mazarredo, had ſailed to join Admiral Langara …Mediterranean. By this junction the Spaniſh fleet …increaſed to 32 ſail of the line.

…committee of Weſt-India merchants and planters, …oſe ſolicitation the importation of ſugar from the …ſters was diſcouraged, ſome years ſince, are now …ſmitters to prevent, or limit even the cultivation …where, it being feared that American ſhips will …e produce to Europe, and underſell us in the mar…kets, where we have hitherto had no rival but the French.

SEPTEMBER 17.

We are ſorry to acquaint the public, that, by the laſt advices, the Cape of Good Hope had not ſurrendered.

It appears that the people wiſhed to form an independent government of their own, and were making vigorous preparations to oppoſe any force which might be brought againſt them; in conſequence of which Admiral Elphinſtone had ſent to St. Helens for reinforcements, and 400 men had ſailed, or were preparing to ſail, in the Arniſton from that place, when the Diſcovery, Capt. VANCOUVER, left that place.

Admiral Elphinſtone had anchored in Falſe Bay, where he took three Dutch Indiamen, and was waiting for ſuccours. He diſpatched a brig for Rio de Janeiro, to haſten the fleet with the troops.

The Merchants concerned in the Mediterranean trade had yeſterday a meeting at Tom's Coffee Houſe, to take into conſideration the preſent poſition of their commerce.

The force of the Spaniards in that part of the world, and the dubiety at leaſt of their deſigns, excited a reaſonable alarm in the minds of men, who could not but conſider the capture of two veſſels bound to Spain, by one of our cutters as an act of hoſtility, which with equal, promptitude might, without a formal declaration, be anſwered on their part.

The miniſter will be applied to on the ſubject.

NORFOLK, NOVEMBER 11.

By a gentleman who arrived laſt night from Hampton Roads, we are told, that a number of veſſels of different ſizes have come into the Roads, among them a ſhip from Rockfort for Alexandria; a brig from Liverpool for Baltimore, 11 weeks out, and a ſhip from Bourdeaux for the ſame place, a very long paſſage, ſhe run ſhort of proviſion, in conſequence of which the Captain threw himſelf overboard and was drowned.

ENGLISH CHEESE.

A few hampers, of a ſuperior quality, for Sale by
Nov. 20. R. HAMILTON.

For Sale on Credit,

Or for property as beſt ſuits the purchaſer, and poſſeſſion given after the 8th December next,

A Houſe and Lot in the town of

Leeſburg, ſituate on the main ſtreet, and extending to and running parallel with another ſtreet on the back, which would render it convenient (if it ſhould be found neceſſary) to divide into two ſmall lots. The houſe ſtands contiguous to the two moſt noted taverns, and is calculated either for a ſtore or any other buſineſs, having a good cellar underneath. The lot has every improvement neceſſary, which may at a ſmall expence be put in good repair. For terms apply to Mr. *Henry M'Cabe*, in the aforeſaid town, or to the ſubſcriber living on the Church Road, [illegible] Loudoun county.

Wm. S. BELT.

Nov. 20.

Loſt.

WAS dropt from a dray, near Hooe's wharf, a ſmall bundle of nails, marked B. L. No. 5.—Whoever will give information of it, to the ſubſcriber, ſhall be rewarded. R. HAMILTON.

Nov. 20.

A Negro Blackſmith & his Wife.

TO BE SOLD

ONE of the beſt Horſeſhoers in Virginia, and his Wife. The Smith is about 46 years old, and his Wife about 35. They will be ſold for a good Notes negotiable at the Bank, at 60 days.—Apply to

B. DULANY.

Clermont, November 2, 1795.

I have now on hand, which I will

ſell low for cash, viz. 8 by 10, 10 by 12 and 12 by 14 window glaſs, white ſoap of an excellent quality by the box, tanners,' lamp and linſeed oil, by the barrel, one thouſand gallons of Stone Ware aſſorted, with an aſſortment of Ironmongery, Cutlery and painters' Colours

George Drinker.

Alexandria, 8mo. 17, 1795.

☞ NOTICE.

The Partnerſhip, under the firm

of *L. Albers & Co.* in Alexandria, being diſſolved, by mutual conſent; as no claims are againſt ſaid firm, we only ſolicit thoſe who are indebted to make payment to *Albert Seekamp*, in Baltimore.

ALBERT SEEKAMP,
LEUDER ALBERS.

October 10, 1795. 6w.

FOR SALE BY

Thompſon and Veitch

OLD Port and Liſbon WINES of a ſuperior quality, in pipes hhds. and quarter caſks.

Alſo, an aſſortment of DRY GOODS, HARDWARE, &c. at their wholeſale warehouſe, on Fairfax-ſtreet.

Alexandria, Auguſt 10, 1795.

N B. They have yet on hand Hair Matraſſes and a few bales of Sail Cloth.

A Philadelphia paper by laſt night's poſt contains an Explanation by Mr. Hamilton on the ſubject of a late attack upon the Preſident of the United States and the former and preſent Secretary of the Treaſury; in relation to the compenſation of the Preſident is its very lengthy, occupying eight columns of the paper in which it is publiſhed.

The following paragraph is added as a note to a republication, in the *Boſt.* CENTINEL of the pieces under the ſignature of a CALM OBSERVER.

The citizens of United America, *will recollect that this calumny, though addreſſed to Mr. Wolcott, is one of the arrows directed againſt their beloved* WASHINGTON—*a man, who for 21 years has ſcarcely known what money was—and who for his private emolument, has not received one ſhilling of public money. We can recite an inſtance in his own words—In a letter to a reſpectable character in this town, in which he requeſts his friend to procure for him a New England Farmer, to ſuperintend a part of his farm, he adds* "you muſt be cautious in your promiſes of pecuniary compenſation, for you know I have no money."

From a Correſpondent.

We hear that there is now in the Preſs, and will be publiſhed in a few days, a Hiſtory of Exciſe Laws, including thoſe lately paſſed in Congreſs reſpecting refined ſugar and ſnuff. This is not a queſtion about democrats or ariſtocrats, or any thing that can be perverted to miniſter and factious purpoſes; but whether it is reaſonable or practicable to ſqueeze a diſcharge of the national debt out of the pockets of two or three hundred manufacturers.

Aurora.

The dwelling houſe of the Rev. Mr. Davis, of this county, caught fire laſt Thurſday and was entirely conſumed, together with almoſt every thing in it—And on the 12th inſt. the Paper and Griſt Mills of Mr. Samuel Canby, of Loudoun county, were burnt—not an article ſaved except 3 or 4 buſhels of grain.

This day's MIRROR completes the IIId. volume.

PUBLIC SALES.

Will be ſold on Tueſday *next at the Vandue Store,*

RUM,
SUGAR,
BRANDY,
and WINE,
} In Hogſheads and Barrells.

Flax in bags, Feather Beds, woollens, a large aſſortment of Ribbons and Gloves, with a variety of other

DRY GOODS.

ROGERSON and BENT, V. M.

Alexandria, Nov. 21, 1795.

Alexandria, November 19, 1795.

LOST in town a Red Morocco POCKET BOOK with three Checks upon the Bank of Alexandria—one drawn by Joſiah Watſon, in favor of W'm Reynolds for 533 dollars 33 cents—one drawn by Mordecai Miller, in favor of George Drinker, for one hundred and fifty dollars—one drawn by Jeſſe Wherry and Co. for one hundred and fifteen dollars, in favour of I. Riddle & Co. Three tickets in the Schuylkill and Suſquehannah lottery—No. as follows; 48459—48460—48461—with ſome other papers that cannot be of any uſe to any perſon but the proper owner; as every precaution is taken to prevent the payment of the Checks and any prize that might be drawn by the lottery-ticket: whoever delivers the Pocket Book to the printer or to, the ſubſcriber ſhall receive five dollars, and no queſtions aſked. ALEXANDER SMITH.

☞ THE Partnerſhip of *Coryton & Lynn* is this day diſſolved by mutual conſent.—The buſineſs in future will be carried on by *Joſiah Coryton*, who will ſettle all accounts of the firm.

To be Sold,

BY the Subſcriber, a LOT in the town of Leeſburg containing half an acre, on the main ſtreet and extending to another ſtreet running parallel, which makes it valuable, as it has two fronts and may be divided into four lotts with ſufficient front and depth to each. There are improvements on the lots. Any perſon inclinable to purchaſe may know the terms by applying to

SAMUEL CANBY.

8th mo. 22, 1795.

THE ſubſcriber having loſt or lent the Xth vol. of the American Encyclopedia, would be much obliged to any perſon that knows of ſuch an odd volume, to give information of the ſame.

FERDINANDO FAIRFAX.

Shannon Hill, Berkeley, Oct. 10, 1795.

☞ NOTICE.

ALL perſons having claims againſt the eſtate of *Richard Lee*, late of Lee-Hall, in Weſtmoreland County, are requeſted to bring them in, that they may be adjuſted; and all perſons who are indebted to ſaid eſtate are deſired to make payment to me.

RICHARD BLAND LEE,
Adminiſtrator.

6m.

Sully, Loudoun County, October 6, 1795.

Poet's Corner.

EPIGRAM,

On the invectives againſt the PRESIDENT.

BARK at the *Moon*, ye deadly dogs of night!
She neither *heeds* your *howl*, nor ſhines *leſs bright*.

BENNETT and WATTS

HAVE received and opened for Sale, at their ſtore the corner of King and Fairfax ſtreets, an extenſive

Aſſortment of Fall Goods,

The following are a part:

SUPERFINE, ſeconds and common cloths and coatings; elaſtic ſtriped cloths and coatings; milled, plated and common kerſeymeres; an elegant aſſortment of veſt ſtapes; ſuperfine and common ſwanſdowns, toilenets and linnets; Genoa cords, velveteens, corduroys and thickſets; beſt black florentine ſattin ſtriped and plain; mens' and women's ſilk, cotton and worſted hoſe; Germantown milled, worſted and yarn hoſe; do. gloves and caps; ſattins, luſtrings, mantuas, modes, ſarſaneets and perſians; ermins and gimp; ſcarlet and drab cardinals; furniture cottons and fringes; muſlins, dimities and muſlinets; muſlin ſhawls, handerchiefs and aprons; Marſeilles quilting; bandanno, barcelona and printed handkerchiefs; ſilk and worſted pantaloon patterns; elaſtic and common ſuſpenders; edgings and laces; ſattin and other ribbons; a neat aſſortment of ſtuffs amongſt which are, a few pieces of handſome bombaſets; ſhoe, ſweeping, ſcrubbing, painters', whitewaſh, batters' and cloth bruſhes, aſſorted in caſks; joiners' plains, ſaws of moſt kinds; braſs headed andirons and tongs and ſhovels; coal ſhovels, ſpades and ſhovels; nails and brads; German ſteel; guns; chaffing diſhes, braſs and iron; gentlemens', youths and ſervants buckſkin breeches; buckſkin gloves; mens' black and white ſilk gloves; ladies' ſilk and leather gloves & mits; faſhionable ſteel, nipple and other buttons; martingale hooks and rings; waiters, tea trays and bread baſkets; bridle bits and ſtirrup irons; girth webb and jockey ſtripes; buckſkins and welting leather; ſeine twine in hhds. or by retail; loaf ſugar in barrels or by retail; young hyſon, hyſon, ſouchong and bohea teas, coffee, pepper and alſpice; a general aſſortment of coarſe woolens and linens.

Likewiſe part of a conſignment of Manchеſtry—conſiſting of velveteens, velverets, corduroys, royal ribb, thickſetts and pillow fuſtians, which will be ſold low by wholeſale in order to cloſe the ſales.

Nov. 2, 1795.

A Mill and Diſtillery to Rent.

WE will rent for a term of years our *Mill and Diſtillery*, ſituate about ſix miles from Alexandria, both in good order, and very conveniently ſituated for buſineſs.—We will rent with them about 60 acres of land, greator part of which is pretty good meadow, if required.

HEPBURN & DUNDAS,

Who have on hand a quantity of WHISKY by the Hogſhead.

Alexandria, Nov. 10, 1795.

City of Waſhington, Commiſſioner's Office, October 15, 1795.

THE commiſſioners hereby give notice that they will receive propoſals until the 15th day of December next, for the following contracts:

6000 buſhels of good unſlacked Stone Lime;
200 barrels of good ſound well cured Pork;
1500 buſhels of good bolted Indian Corn;

All the ſaid articles to be delivered in the city of Waſhington. The lime to be delivered at the rate of not leſs than 600 buſhels per month, after the building ſeaſon commences, and at leaſt that quantity to be delivered in the courſe of the winter. The meal at the rate of 120 buſhels per month, commencing the firſt delivery on the firſt of January next. The pork at any time during the winter that may be moſt agreable to the contractor.

Such reaſonable advances will be made as the nature of the contracts require on bond with approved ſecurity being given for the performance.

By Order.

T. JOHNSON, Sec.

William I. Hall

Will have open and ready for ſale in a few days, a large and excellent aſſortment of

FALL GOODS,

RECEIVED by the ſhips Sally and Alexandria, which he will ſell at a reaſonable advance, on the uſual terms.

Alexandria, Oct. 7, 1795.

TO BE LET,
And entered upon immediately.

The Houſe & Lot lately occupied

by the Widow Waſhington, near Mr. Wiſe's Tavern, in Alexandria. Application may be made to Dr. James Craik, in Alexandria, or to the ſubſcriber, in the City of Waſhington.

TOBIAS LEAR.

A Cook Wanted.

A Man will be preferred—he muſt be well acquainted with his buſineſs, honeſt and temperate—an application without theſe requiſites, confirmed by good recommendation, will be unneceſſary. Enquire of the Printer.

Juſt Imported,

And for Sale on reaſonable terms by the ſubſcribers,

20 puncheons high proof Jamaica Rum;
20,000 lb. prime Muſcovada Sugar.

MANDEVILLE & JAMESSON.

Nov. 4.

SALT.

A few thouſand buſhels of Liverpool SALT on board the ſhip Smallwood, alſo HATS in caſes for ſale, by

FORD, PATTON, & Co.

Alexandria, Oct. 26, 1795.

LANDING

From on board the Ship Sally, Capt. James Croudhill from Whitehaven,

A large and general aſſortment of

SEASONABLE GOODS,

And for ſale by the ſubſcribes ot his warehouſe in Prince ſtreet.

Wm. HODGSON.

He has alſo received,

Earthen ware in crates well aſſorted,
Nails of different ſizes,
Sail canvas, No. 1 to 8,
Bottled Porter in hhds.
Candles and ſoap in ſmall boxes,
6 by 8, 7 by 9, 8 by 10, and 12 by 10 window glaſs, in boxes and half boxes,
And a quantity of excellent Pork in barrels.

October 12.

Mandeville and Jameſton

HAVE for ſale at their ſtore on Fairfax ſtreet, the following articles, which they will diſpoſe of by wholeſale and retail, for caſh or the uſual credits, viz.

Jamaica and Windward Iſland Rum;
Cogniac Brandy;
Holland Geneva;
London bottled Porter;

WINES

Madeira, Sherry, Port, Claret — *Of the beſt quality in caſks & bottles;*
Liſbon, Calcavella, Malaga, Teneriffe — *Do. do. in pipes quarter caſks;*

Muſcovado Sugars in hhds. & barrels.
Loaf and lump do. in barrels;

TEAS of different qualities.

Souchong, Hyſon, Young Hyſon, Imperial — *Do. of the beſt do.*

Bourbon Coffee, Green do. — *In bags and barrels.*

Pepper, race and ground ginger, nutmegs, mace, cinnamon, cloves and alſpice, with a variety of pickles and muſtard in bottles.

☞ *Wanted to hire*—An able bodied free man, as a Porter—good wages will be given and it is expected none will apply who cannot give ſufficient proof of ſobriety and honeſty.

Alexandria, Nov. 3, 1795.

WILLIAM RICKARD,

TAILOR & HABITMAKER,

BEGS leave to inform his friends and the public in general that he has removed his ſhop into the houſe formerly occupied by Mr. Samuel Craig, oppoſite Mr. Andrew Taylor's.

Impreſſed with a due ſenſe of gratitude for the encouragement he has lately experienced in the unexpected increaſe of his buſineſs, begs leave to aſſure the ladies and gentlemen of Alexandria and its vicinity, that he will endeavour, by a due reſpect, and ſtrict attention to their commands, to merit a continuance of their favours.—He ſtill keeps his correſpondence in London and other parts of Europe, thereby has the earlieſt opportunity of producing the neweſt and moſt elegant faſhions.

Gentlemen's Breeches Braces made in the neateſt manner and of the firſt quality.

P. S. Orders executed with expedition and attention.

Alexandria, Nov. 10, 1795.

FALL GOODS.

JOSEPH RIDDLE and CO.

HAVE imported in the ſhip Alexandria, from Liverpool, a variety of WOLLENS:

ALSO,

Per the brig Eliza, Johnſton, from London, printed cottons, ſhawls, threads, fluff Goods, ſilk do. hoſiery, muſtins, linens, watches, &c.

Alexandria, Oct. 15.

Lands for Sale.

FOR SALE,

Several Thouſand Acres of Land,

ſituated in the Weſtern Country, and ſome Military Rights, under Continental Eſtabliſhment. For terms apply to the ſubſcriber, at John Wiſe's, Alexandria.

SPENCER GRIFFIN.

Lands for Sale.

THE ſubſcriber offers for ſale the following L[ands] in Hampſhire County, State of Virginia, v[iz.] Three Tracts adjoining each other, and containi[ng] acres, lying on the North branch of Cape-Capon 28 miles from the Town of Winchеſter, on the road leading from the ſaid Town to Rumney, the Town. A great part of the land is bottom; a lar portion of which is improved meadow. There ar improvements on it, and a bearing apple-orchard quantity of meadow-ground, with the advantage of tenſive range, particularly recommend it for graz raiſing of ſtock, and its public ſituation renders it eligible ſtand for a tavern, which is much wanted oad. There is a remarkable large ſpring on th which, with the water of the North River, is cap being employed for milling and a diſtillery.

One other Tract, lying ten miles diſtant from laſt mentioned, upon the ſame river, containi acres. This has alſo the advantage of a mill-ſeat, from the ſcarcity of mill-ſeats in that neighbo makes it valuable. There are ſome improvement and a great part of the land under cultivation.

Theſe lands will be ſhewn to any perſon wi purchaſe by Col. Elias Porter, or Capt. James Cra who live near them, and the terms of paymen eaſy to the purchaſers.

JAMES CRA

November 1, 1795.

TO BE SOLD

A ſmall Farm of 125 1-2 ac

lying about 4½ miles from Alexandria, and in ſ[ight] the Town. It is a valuable lot of land, the one ing meadow, and the other in wood. It may be into 3 or 4 lots, and an equal proportion of wood dow and water in each, as there are ſeveral ſprin ſides the run that empties into Mr. Hartſhorne's dam. The whole bottom may be watered from two runs from the riſing ground with no trouble but a p furrow. The greateſt part was handſomely laid d timothy ſome years ago, but has been neglected, diſpute ariſing in the title, which is completely ſett As I live at a diſtance, I have requeſted my friend, Hartſhorne, to treat with any perſon or perſons who want ſuch, as he lives near the land, and can give any information they may want. My with for ſell an abſolute want of money, by which it can be got than it otherwiſe would.

PETER DO

Greenfield, Loudoun County, Nov. 10, 1795.

Copper and Tin Manufactor

JOHN BEALE

INFORMS his friends and the public, that he moved from the town of Lynchburg to this in a houſe in King-ſtreet, two doors above M'K tavern, where he intends to carry on his buſine of gold, ſilver, copper and tin work. He likewi old copper tea kettles, ſauce-pans, &c. &c.

Articles in the above branches of his buſineſs, m had either by wholeſale or retail, and thoſe who ſell again, will find it to their advantage to deal with

All kinds of plated work done on the ſhorteſt n in the beſt manner, and warranted, ſuch as brid ſtirrup irons, buckles, tips and ſaddle boſſes, made neweſt faſhions; mill brands cut, either in cop iron, China mended, and all kinds of bell metal, f clock bells, ear bells for horſes, and ſkillets; the be warrants to ring as well as ever they did.

MILL INKS

Made at the above ſhop, and at a moderate The above articles will be done in a maſterly manne

☞ Alſo Clocks, Watches and Mathematical I ments made and repaired in an elegant manner.

☞ He has on hand and now offers for ſale, a derate price, at the above houſe, ſundry articles of ſilver, jewellery, copper, tin, and plate work, gilt chains, ſeals, keys, lockets, and breaſt pins.

The higheſt price given for old gold, ſilver, braſs, pewter or lead.

For Sale,

A Mill in Prince William County on Broad about 18 miles from Dumfries, and thirty-fiv Alexandria: there is adjoining the mill, which ſold with it, one hundred acres of excellent LAN in wood. The mill is at preſent out of repair, bu very eaſily be put in order to do country work, for purpoſe only it was built; being ſituate in a thick and flouriſhing country. It is unneceſſary to enlarg the advantages of the ſpot, as it is preſumed thoſ with to purchaſe will view the premiſes. If the p is not ſold before the firſt of January, 1796, it wi be offered at public auction. The premiſes will be and the terms made known on application to Mr. min Wheeler, living near the mill, or the ſubſcr this place.

R. S. BLACKBUR

Alexandria, Nov. 10.

FOR SALE

TWO elegant Carriage Horſes, well broken, 8 dle, and about 15 hands high. Any perſon able to purchaſe may know the terms by applying Printer.

November 6, 1795.